

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A reinforced structural member comprising:
a hollow ~~structure-axle~~ defining a cavity;
a bag disposed within said cavity defining a space; ~~and~~
a material disposed within said bag filling said space; ~~and~~
a suspension component secured to said axle proximate to said material, said axle includes a hole with a cap having a locating feature disposed in said hole, said locating feature positioning said suspension component.
2. (Currently Amended) The assembly according to claim 1, wherein said ~~structure-axle~~ includes a hole and said bag includes a compressed size equal to or smaller than said hole facilitating insertion of said bag into said cavity.
3. (Original) The assembly according to claim 2, wherein a cap is installed in said hole enclosing said cavity.

4. (Original) The assembly according to claim 2, wherein said bag includes an end having an opening facilitating insertion of said material into said bag.
5. (Original) The assembly according to claim 4, wherein said end is disposed within said cavity.
6. (Original) The assembly according to claim 1, wherein said material is a structural foam .
7. (Original) The assembly according to claim 6, wherein said structural foam is two-part epoxy.
- 8.-10. (Cancelled)

11. (Currently Amended) A method of locally reinforcing a hollow structure comprising the steps of:

- a) inserting a bag into a cavity of a structure;
- b) filling the bag with a material; ~~and~~
- c) expanding the material; and
- d) securing a component to the structure proximate to the material.

12. (Previously Amended) The method according to claim 11, wherein the material is a structural foam.

13. (Previously Amended) The method according to claim 11, wherein the bag is closed prior to step c).

14. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim 11, wherein ~~the~~ an end of the bag is closed and inserted into the cavity.

15. (Currently Amended) A method of locally reinforcing a hollow structure comprising the steps of:

_____ a) inserting a bag into a cavity of a structure;

_____ b) filling the bag with a material;

_____ c) expanding the material~~The method according to claim 11, and~~

_____ wherein step a) includes inserting the bag through a hole in the structure and a cap is installed into the hole subsequent to performing step b), the bag being in alignment with the hole.

16. (Cancelled)

17. (New) The method according to claim 11, wherein step a) includes inserting the bag through a hole in the structure, the component secured proximate to the hole.